iii) Anticipated income:

The minimum anticipated income will be 15 % of the cost.

[*English*]

**Infiltration In Andaman And Nicobar Islands**

5743. SHRI MANORANJAN BHAKTA: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether a large number of foreign infiltrators are frequently entering into our territorial waters of the Andaman and Nicobar Islands; and

(b) if so, the number of incidents of infiltration into out territorial waters detected during last three years and number of persons apprehended in this regard ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS AND THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI M.M. JACOB): (a) & (b). Despite surveillance by the concerned agencies over our territorial waters around Andaman & Nicobar Islands, some infiltration does take place.

The information regarding number of incidents and foreign nationals apprehended in this regard during the last three years is as under:-

| *Year* | *No. of incidents detected* | *Number of foreign nationals apprehended* |
|---|---|---|
| *1* | *2* | *3* |
| 1988 | 07 | 053 |
| 1989 | 32 | 318 |
| 1990 | 47 | 560 |

**Modernisation and Expansion of Telephone Exchanges in Ernakulam District of Kerala**

5744. SHRI P.C. THOMAS: Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government have any plan to expand, modernise, provide STD and group dialling facilities to various telephone exchanges in Ernakulam district of Kerala; and

(b) if so, the details there of ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS (SHRI RAJESH PILOT): (a) Yes , Sir.

(b) Out of the 64 exchanges in Ernakulam district 17 have already been modernised by electronic exchanges. The remaining 47 are proposed to be replaced and expanded by electronic exchanges as and when these become due.

Group dialling facility is available for all the telephone exchanges in Ernakulam district. STD facility is already available for 30 exchanges of Ernakulam district. All the other exchanges are planned to be covered by the end of the 8th plan.

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**Model Telecom Centre at Bangalore**

5745. SHRIMATI SUSEELA GOPALAN: Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS be pleased to state: